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## Kentucky Fair Dates.

The following are the dates fixed for holding the Kentucky Fairs for 1906 as far as reported. Officers of fairs are requested to report to us any omissions or correction of dates.

Richmond, July 11—3 days.  
Lancaster, July 12—3 days.  
Hustonsville, July 25—3 days.  
Winchester, July 25—3 days.  
Madisonville, July 31—5 days.  
Danville, August 1—3 days.  
Harrodsburg, August 7—4 days.  
Fern Creek, August 14—4 days.  
Yanceyburg, August 15—4 days.  
Shepardsville, August 21—4 days.  
Lawrenceburg, August 21—4 days.  
Springfield, August 15—3 days.  
Brodhead, August 15—3 days.  
Guthrie, August 23—3 days.  
Nicholasville, August 28—3 days.  
Shelbyville, August 28—4 days.  
Florence, August 29—4 days.  
Ewing, August 30—3 days.  
Elizabethtown, September 4—3 days.  
Paris, September 4—5 days.  
Bardstown, September 5—4 days.  
Monticello, September 11—4 days.  
Glasgow, September 12—4 days.  
Henderson, September 25—5 days.  
Falmouth, September 26—4 days.  
Pembroke, September 27—3 days.  
Owensboro, October 2—5 days.  
Mayfield, Ky., October 3—4 days.

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS.

We are authorized to announce W. P. Kimball, of Fayette County, as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Congress in the 7th District of Kentucky, subject to the action of the District Convention to be held in the City of Frankfort, on Thursday, July 12th, 1906.

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## DEATH VALLEY CACTI

THE PLANTS THAT BLOOM IN THE  
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Hundreds of Acres of a Scene of Almost Indescribable Beauty In the Midst of Mile on Mile of Barren and Deadly Sand Flats.

Not half the plants of Death valley are known to scientists; most of those that are known are little more than names and will never be more until the prying arm of the railroad shall have laid bare some of the secrets of this vale of Hinom.

Most beautiful and most plenty on the desert are the cacti, and the rapidity with which their dry and apparently withered stalks put out blossoms under the touch of the rains is wonderful.

The largest and showiest blossom of them all grows on a short, stock stem which during the summer does not seem to have life enough to produce the magnificent waxy flowers, which are often as much as five inches across. A cactus much larger than this—the barrel cactus—has a very small and insignificant bloom, while the tiniest of all, a low, creeping, round stemmed, jointed growth, has an immense pink flower, beautiful as any orchid and rivaling the fairest rose of Persia in its odor.

Unfortunately the names of these rare species are not well known, and the commoner varieties, which are also found on the coast slope, bear no such gorgeous array of blossoms. Old friends greet the traveler on the rim of Death valley too. There is the cholla (pronounced chogah), which, while large and many branched, produces few or no flowers, reproducing itself by "slipping," as our grandmothers were wont to say of their choice geraniums. Wherever an unusually long branch falls to the ground it seems almost to work its way into the earth, so soon do the shifting sands cover it. Then a process of rooting takes place, so that soon an entirely separate plant comes up a few feet from the parent. So it is that great beds of cacti are formed throughout the desert.

One noticeable thing about all the plants in and around Death valley is that they grow low to the ground, for no living thing can stand against the simoons that sweep this level floor for 200 miles on over into the Nevada desert. These low growers protect themselves from the drifting sand in a wonderfully ingenious manner. When the plant first breaks from the ground it comes up not in one stem, as do the taller cacti, but in many tiny, branching stalks, so that what solid earth and rocks there are among the sand clouds fall between these stalks and form a sort of openwork barricade. Against this the sand drifts, but does not choke out the life of the plant. The winds of the desert always blow from the same direction, so that the barricade is always available, whether it be a rain, wind or sand storm that is blowing.

Another beautiful bloomer of this far desert raises a foot long shaft, four pointed and like no other flower stalk in the world. On it are clustered great waxen blooms two or three inches across, perfumed with all the sweet scents of Cyprus and the Ind and ranging from palest golden white to deepest purple.

From right to left of the narrow valley, more than 400 feet below the level of the sea, 250 miles away, these beds of cacti stretch. In winter and spring, when they are all ablaze with flame, they seem like some great cloth of gold to the traveler pausing on the rim of the Funeral range or dipping down with his burros through Windy gap. These beds are sometimes large, covering acres in dense patches. In other places they are small and stunted, so that the traveler meets with scattered clumps of the thorny shrubs miles before he comes upon traces of the dead alkaline lakes that mark the edge of the valley.

Other plants than cacti are scarce in Death valley, but two species of mesquite grow from one end of the valley to the other, both blooming profusely and adding their quota of odor to the air. When they seed, the beans are gathered by the Piutes and ground up for flour.

All in all, there are doubtless hundreds of acres of cacti in this one part of the California desert, and its beauty when in bloom is something indescribable, especially when seen in the midst of mile on mile of barren sand flats.—San Francisco Chronicle.

## The Fork.

It is about 1,900 years ago since the fork made its appearance in Europe. In 99 A. D. a son of the doge Pietro Orsola had wedded in Venice the Brizantine Princess Argilla, who produced at the wedding breakfast a silver fork and gold spoon. Then the high Venetian families followed suit, and these martyrs to fashion pricked their lips with the new instrument. The fork prospered, however, and spread over Italy. In 1379 it had traveled as far as France, and in 1608 a traveler brought it direct to England.

## Do You Want to Know

## What You Swallow?

There is a growing sentiment in this country in favor of MEDICINES OF KNOWN COMPOSITION. It is but natural that one should have some interest in the composition of that which he or she is expected to swallow, whether it be food, drink or medicine.

Recognizing this growing disposition on the part of the public, and satisfied that the fullest publicity can only add to the well-earned reputation of his medicines, Dr. R. V. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., has "taken time by the forelock," as it were, and is publishing broadcast a list of all the ingredients entering into his leading medicines, the "Golden Medical Discovery," the popular liver invigorator, stomach tonic, blood purifier and heart regulator; also of his "Favorite Prescription" for weak, over-worked, broken-down, nervous and invalid women.

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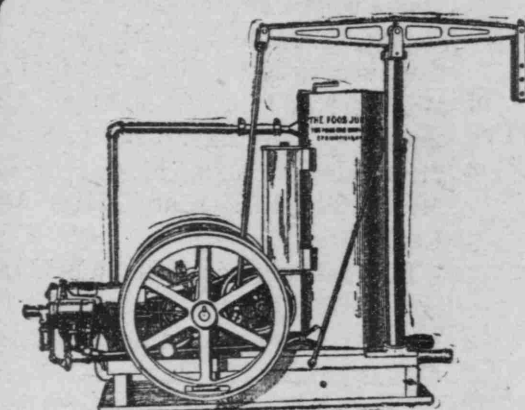
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